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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Thanh T. TRAN et al.	§	Confirmation No.:	8851
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Serial No.:	09/191,629	§	Group Art Unit:	2614
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Filed:	11/13/1998	§	Examiner:	P. M. Natnael
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For:	Method And Apparatus	§	Docket No.:	200304264-1
	For Transmitting Digital	§		
	Television Data	§		
	(As Amended)	§		

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 19, 2004**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 10, 2004

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 19, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.